

## Christmas Club Developes the Saving Habit

THE MERION TITLE AND TRUST  
COMPANY OFFERS THIS  
MOST POPULAR FORM  
OF SAVINGS.

The popularity and success of its Christmas Club has been phenomenal. This Club gives everybody a chance to save regularly, for the bank is willing to accept small amounts. Even boys and girls are invited to become members, for it is a well-known fact that the saving habit needs to be fostered in this country. Once the youthful mind realizes how pleasant it is to have money in bank, the saving habit will become life-long.

A large number of people, whether their incomes are large or small, find it difficult to "get ahead" financially. They postpone the time when they will start saving to provide for the rainy day because they never seem to have enough spare money to start a bank account. The Christmas Club is a great benefit to the people in this way, for they don't need any more capital to get started than the first small payment, and after all, the start is the important thing.

Although the first payment was due December 22, members may still join, as the club is still open. The club runs for fifty weeks, so that each member will receive a check in time for Christmas shopping. When payments are made regularly the bank allows interest on the account, which is always an encouragement to saving.

A number of plans are offered and members may select one of more of them.

In the uniform classes one may pay 25c., 50c., \$1.00, \$2.00 or \$5.00 weekly, the totals amounting respectively to \$12.50, \$25.00, \$50.00, \$100.00 and \$250.00. Another way is what is known as the progressive class, in which the payment increases every week. One of these classes starts at 2c., next week 4c., and so on. The 2c. progressive club matures at \$25.50. Then there is a 5c. progressive club maturing at \$63.75. These progressive clubs may be reversed, starting at the highest amount first and finishing with the lowest. The 5c. reducing class starts at \$25.50 and works down to 5c., while the 2c. starts at \$1.00 and comes down to 2c. as the last payment.

This attractive method of saving has proven most popular.

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- 1 CHAMBERMAID-WAITRESS
- 1 CHAMBERMAID-LAUN-  
DRESS (Prot.)
- 1 GEN. MAID
- 1 PERMANENT LAUNDRESS
- 1 PRACTICAL NURSE
- ACCOMMODATORS

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MAN (White)
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MEN
- 1 AUSTRIAN COUPLE (Cook  
and Houseman)
- 3 HOUSEMEN (Colored)
- 3 COOKS (Colored)
- 1 COOK (White)
- CHAMBERMAID-WAITRESS or  
CHAMBERMAID-NURSE  
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- 2 TRAINED NURSES (Colored)
- RESIDENT LAUNDRESS (after  
Jan. 1st)
- 1 COLORED HOUSEMAN (Util-  
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ARDMORE

## A Fine Old-Fashioned Christ- mas Day in Our Favorite Year 'Round Home Town

THE WEATHER COULDN'T HAVE  
BEEN BETTER IF MADE  
TO ORDER.

A Great Day for the Children, with  
Their Toys and Sleds—Many  
Jolly Christmas Parties.

Even Bill Hall, who regards winter as a necessary evil through which we must all pass in order to reach summer and 90 in the shade, admitted, the morning after Christmas that it was an ideal Christmas Day. For, said Bill:

"If we must have cold weather, and snow and ice, it was a perfect Christmas."

The light snowfall of Wednesday, which merely added to the mud in the streets of Philadelphia, spread a veritable white mantle over Narberth and the surrounding country. Christmas Eve the thermometer dropped down around 20, and the wind rose and froze the town up hard, cold, and white.

The lighted candles in the windows of many of our homes cast sparkling streaks of bright yellow light over the glistening snow. On the streets men, women and children hurried along laden with packages of every size and description.

The crunching of the snow under foot, the smoke curling from the chimneys, the occasional jingle of sleigh bells, and the shouts of laughter that came from the houses, as the doors were opened to admit the Christmas Eve visitors, combined to recall vividly to the mind of the traveler through our town the Christmas Eve scenes in Washington Irving's delightful sketches of Christmas time in old England. And Santa Claus was good to the children of Narberth.

Christmas Day was clear, cold and sunshiny—as most of our readers probably observed! The trains and automobiles brought many relatives and friends for family reunions. The boys and girls—big and little—were out early with their sleds, and they enjoyed the coasting well into the evening.

Among the prominent coasters on Essex avenue might be mentioned Bill Kirkpatrick, while Owen Humphreys, back from the Naval Academy at Annapolis for the holidays, led a delegation of sledders from the Narberth avenue bridge down around Woodside avenue to Wynnewood road. And Bill Maddox was noted heading an ice skating party on Narberth avenue.

Dick Ferno was sporting a new black and white scarf, and Postmaster Haws, justly proud of the way his post office force had handled the mail, smiled a "Merry Christmas" at everyone, and whenever anyone said anything about the big rush, the Postmaster smiled again and said, "Never touched us!"

So you can see for yourself, taking it from any angle, it was a first-class Christmas Day in our Year Round Home Town.

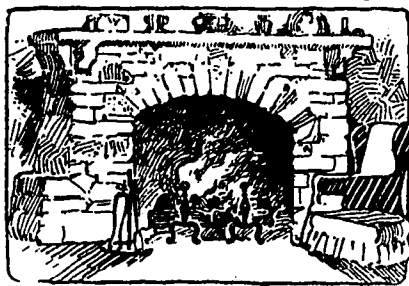
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to "OUR TOWN"?



## THE FIRESIDE

AMERICAN LEGION DANCE  
ELM HALL  
NEW YEAR'S EVE  
DECEMBER 31

George H. Gifford and Mrs. Gifford, of Lakeville, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Haws, of Dudley avenue.

The American Legion claim that they have the jazziest jazz orchestra direct from Jazzland for their New Year's Eve dance. Better be there.

Councils have passed a resolution shutting off Essex avenues, between Price and Windsor, whenever coasting is good. A man will be stationed at either end of the street with a red lantern to warn traffic and protect the coasters. This is greatly appreciated by the young folks of Narberth.

The Woman's Community Club will give an afternoon of bridge and five hundred on January 15th, at 2 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Robert Doherty on Wynnewood avenue. Tickets may be procured for 75 cents each at the next meeting of the club, which occurs next Tuesday, December 30th. This card party was postponed from December 12th because of the many Christmas activities of the members. Remember the date, January 15th. Please reserve your tables early, as there will be a limited number.

## Women's Community Club Notes

The next regular meeting of the Women's Community Club will be held on Tuesday, December 30th, at 3 P. M., in the Y. M. C. A. The speaker will be Mr. John Hilder, of the Housing Committee of Philadelphia. Mrs. Lewis Smith, Vice-President of the State Association of Pennsylvania League of Women Citizens, will also speak, outlining the course in "Citizenship" to be given in Philadelphia in January.

Since undoubtedly women will be given the vote in the near future, it is important that they should be able to do so intelligently. For this purpose classes are being formed, and it seemed timely and wise to present this subject to the club at this time. Mrs. Ray Clark will be the hostess in charge, and will provide refreshment in keeping with the holiday season.

### Club Spreads the Christmas Cheer.

Through the efforts of the club fifty children in Philadelphia were given a Christmas party and fifty little hearts made glad. The local "shut-ins" of our own community were also remembered with fruit and flowers as well as Christmas cards bearing the greetings of the season.

### Officers of the Women's Community Club, Narberth.

President—Mrs. C. P. Fowler.  
Vice-President—Mrs. Charles W. Young.  
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Edward Batchelor.  
Recording Secretary—Mrs. N. Anderson.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Jesse E. Harris.  
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Educational—Mrs. Wm. Livingston.  
Hospitality—Mrs. H. A. Jacobs.  
Legislative—Mrs. A. B. Ross.  
Music—Mrs. Joseph Barclay.  
Membership—Mrs. W. J. Mulholland.  
Publicity—Mrs. Edgar Cockrill.  
Finance—Mrs. Charles W. Young.  
Decorations—Mrs. J. W. Joyce.  
Club Chorus—Mrs. A. B. Ross, Mrs. Tillman O. Lane.

## Fine Program for the Big Concert

THE AFFAIR PLANNED FOR JAN. 9  
WILL BE A RARE TREAT.  
DANCE TO FOLLOW MUSI-  
CAL NUMBERS.

Have you bought your tickets for the concert and dance to be given under the auspices of the Narberth Tennis Association in Elm Hall, Friday evening, January 9?

Every member of the Association is now supplied with tickets, and there is every reason for believing that there will be an unusually big demand for admission to this coming event.

Next week we expect to announce in Our Town the complete program. Mrs. James G. Foote, who is directing the concert for the Tennis Association, reports that the program will probably be the most interesting and enjoyable that has ever been given in Narberth. She has been fortunate in securing the Philharmonic Quartette, including such popular Philadelphia singers as Miss May Farley, Dr. John B. Becker, and Mr. John Vandersloot, and Miss Florence Haende, the violinist, and Miss May Belle Hagen Duch, the cellist. Mr. William Sylvano Thunder, who ranks high among Philadelphia's best musicians, will be at the piano.

The second part of the program will probably be in costume exclusively, and the numbers that Mrs. Foote is planning assure a rare treat.

Following the concert, there will be a dance, and everyone who has attended Tennis Association dances knows how enjoyable these affairs are.

Remember, this concert and dance take place Friday evening, January 9, in Elm Hall. The concert starts at 8.15 sharp, and tickets may be had from any member of the Tennis Association and from Mrs. Foote.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF NARBERTH Y. M. C. A. WILL BE INTER- ESTING EVENT.

Enjoyable and Profitable Evening Be-  
ing Arranged.

The annual meeting of the Narberth Y. M. C. A. will be held on Monday evening, December 29th, at 8 P. M., at the Association rooms.

Plans are being made by the Association to make this a very enjoyable and profitable meeting.

It is expected that one or two good speakers will address our Y. M. C. A. friends, and good music to be furnished by the Y. M. C. A. Quartette and others must not be missed.

A very great number of friends of the Association have just recently evidenced their sympathy and interest by assisting in the recent campaign, and subscribing to the fund being raised for the extension of the work of the Association and improvement in its facilities.

There will be interesting reports made covering the present scope of work; the status of the special campaign fund; the hopes and expectations of the Association for improving its work in the community, especially with the young people. These reports will make an interesting and inspiring time for all, and taken in conjunction with the speakers and music, will provide an enjoyable evening.

At this meeting will also occur the election of officers of the Association, as well as seven directors, in which no doubt every member of the Association will desire to take part.

The election of officers is, of course, confined to the members of the Association, but otherwise the meeting is open to all friends and it is hoped a good number will avail themselves of enjoying the evening, getting acquainted with the Association, its work and its officers, as well as with each other.

A more definite statement of the program will be published next week. In the meantime mark down the date and reserve it.

### WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The managers of the Auxiliary for 1919 are:

Mrs. D. D. Stickney, President.  
Mrs. C. E. Kreamer, Vice-President.  
Mrs. C. L. McLean, Secretary.  
Mrs. Hervey Keim, Treasurer.  
Mrs. C. L. Smith, House Manager.



## School Notes

"Without halting, without rest,  
Lifting better up to best."

### Athletic Notes.

The Girls' Basketball Team have planned the following schedule for the season 1919-20:

January 7—Ambler, home.  
January 16—Haddonfield, away.  
January 23—  
January 27—Radnor, away.  
January 30—Upper Darby, night home.  
February 3—Woodbury, away.  
February 6—Haddon Heights, home.  
February 17—Darby, home.  
February 24—Haddonfield, home.  
February 27—Lower Merion, night home.

March 2—Woodbury, home.  
March 5—Upper Darby, night away.  
March 9—Darby, away.  
March 12—Haddon Heights, away.  
March 19—Ambler, away.  
March 26—Radnor, night home.

The boys' basketball schedule is as follows:

January 9—  
January 16—Radnor, away.  
January 23—West Chester, away.  
January 27—  
January 30—Upper Darby, night home.  
February 4—Lower Merion, away.  
February 6—Huntingdon Valley, home.  
February 10—Jenkintown, home.  
February 12—Downingtown, away.  
February 17—Darby, home.  
February 27—Lower Merion, night home.

March 2—  
March 5—Upper Darby, night away.  
March 9—Darby, away.  
March 12—Villa Nova, home.  
March 16—Huntingdon Valley, away, night.  
March 19—West Chester, home.  
March 26—Hathoro, night home.

### NARBERTH BOYS' CLUB DEFEATS ROVERS.

The Narberth Boys' Club easily defeated the strong Rover team on the Y. M. C. A. alleys last Tuesday night, taking two out of three games. John Dickie had high average for the victors, while Smedley and Bucherman were tied for high average for the Rovers.

This is the first game of the Narberth Boys' Club Bowling Team which had just been organized. William Humphries is captain and Edward Odell manager. We expect to obtain a match from the Ardmore Y. M. C. A. to be rolled on our alleys next Tuesday night, and would like to arrange games with any other teams that were in the same league with the Rovers to be rolled on the local alleys. Score:

	Rovers.		
	1st Game.	2nd Game.	3rd Game.
Smedley .....	162	154	179
Mugerman .....	156	185	154
Donahue .....	116	154	157
Fleck .....	145	118	129
Lacy (Capt.) .....	120	130	170
Totals .....	699	741	789

Narberth Boys' Club.		
Cooke .....	154	148
Jenkins .....	139	162
Campton .....	114	135
Dickie .....	209	171
Humphries (Capt.) ..	120	148
Totals .....	736	764

### NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The regular meeting of the Narberth Building and Loan Association will be held Thursday, January 1st, 1920.  
THOS. C. TROTTER, JR.,  
Secretary.

## OUR TOWN

### An Experiment in Co-operative Journalism—No Paid Workers.

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Our Town is on sale at the depot newsstand, and at the store of H. E. Davis.

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OUR TOWN will gladly print any news item about any subject that is of interest to Narberth folks, but in order to meet the printing schedule, all "copy"—manuscripts—must reach the editor by 6 P. M. Wednesday each week.

SATURDAY, December 27, 1919

#### EMERGENCY PHONE CALLS

Fire, 350  
Police, 1250

### Editorial

WE THANK YOU, COUNCIL  
IN BEHALF OF ALL THE  
CHILDREN OF NARBERTH

The Borough Council did a mighty good turn for the boys and girls of Narberth—and relieved the worry and concern of many parents—at the last meeting, by passing a resolution providing for the protection of coasters on Essex avenue. The resolution provides that, whenever there is snow on Essex avenue from the north side of Windsor to the south side of Price avenue, all vehicular traffic along that part of Essex avenue must be diverted, from the time the school closes in the afternoon until 10 P. M.

This stretch of Essex avenue from Price down to Windsor is, perhaps, the best coasting hill in the borough, and it was a fine and thoughtful act on the part of Council to make this provision for the protection of the children.

### Club's Weekly Letter

To the Editor of Our Town:

Narberth is proud of her Building and Loan Association, and she ought to be. At no local gathering, public or private, may one have the privilege of viewing a more astute or intelligent group of men than at the monthly meetings of the Narberth Building and Loan Association. Individually and collectively, they're a safe crowd with whom to entrust your spare mazuma. Of

#### THE "BUYS" OF YESTER YEAR

A five-year-old dollar is worth a half-dollar now, maybe less, and likewise the life insurance policy of other days now falls far short of its original purpose. It won't be you who will let it remain this way, for there's an easy and cheap way to bring it right up to where it belongs. Don't forget to call me up.

LANAHAN, 205 Forest Avenue  
P. O. Box 352. Phone, Narberth 3-44 R. R.

course, I expect you to look 'em over, weigh 'em and then strike an average. But, foxy though they be, they can err just like the rest of us ordinary humans. And thereby hangs a tale—not by any means a fairy tale either.

It has been the custom for Dan Leitch, the well-known statesman and banker of Haverford avenue, to put the monthly receipts in his pocket after each meeting and take charge of them over night. Sometimes Dan doesn't get around, that being the case whenever lodge meeting and B. & L. Association meeting come on the same night. Dan doesn't allow anything to interfere with his fraternal society duties. Last meeting night Dan was away and the bank sent another human money express wagon with a letter of introduction. Bill Godfrey, Treasurer, usually guards the cash with jealous care, but when the bank messenger appeared and showed his credentials, Will's vigilance relaxed for the moment and he promptly pushed the pile across the table, saying, "Take it away." Now the President of the Association, J. Howard Wilson, Esq., known as the "Rothschild of Penn Square," happened to see what was going on (when anything gets by that foxy individual let me know); and before the money could be transferred he quickly blocked the proceedings by inquiring if anybody in the meeting room could identify the messenger. Nobody could. The man didn't get the money, but probably in order to prove that he was well equipped to take good care of it, he whipped out a big 45 calibre revolver. Mistaking his intention and feeling for the moment that they were victims of a hold-up, most of the worthy directors lost no time in throwing up their hands, some yelling "Kamerad," while others crawled under the tables. The visitor soon calmed their fears, however, by assuring them that he only desired to exhibit the gun, not rob or shoot anybody. Well, it was a curious situation and nobody seemed to know what to do. Finally Carl Metzger, who has a regular job now with the B. & L.—in fact, he has a good paying job of some kind pretty nearly every night—offered to take some of the crowd and all of the money to the safe deposit vaults in his machine.

So that was settled. One of the directors ran around to his office on Haverford avenue to get his gun. He wanted to play safe. Just think what would have happened if that bunch had gotten into trouble and had been brought into a police station. The papers would have printed a sensational story about a big haul of gunmen. Well, everything ran smoothly and the money and its armed escort arrived at the bank. Here Bill Godfrey, to make up for his laxness earlier in the evening, insisted upon a receipt for the exact contents of the box, and he got it, although somebody was taking chances because the box was not opened and examined until the next day.

So you see that Dan Leitch by taking a night off was the innocent cause of an awful ruckus. Dan had better join a lodge that doesn't meet on Thursday.

From observation I gather that the more slender his pocketbook, the greater a man's ability to do full justice to a square meal.

Wish the Burgess would hurry his annual message to Councils. An anxious country is eagerly awaiting the yearly official utterance of Narberth's Chief Magistrate, besides which the settlement of the Peace Treaty is of quite secondary importance.

Wouldn't it be terrible if our local Ruler should forget to issue a New Year's proclamation? How would we know when 1920 was with us?

Here's a funny one. A visitor to Narberth went into a local grocery store last Friday evening and obtained a half pound of sugar. He repeated the performance Saturday morning at the same store. Neither time did he buy anything else or were any questions asked. And yet most of the mothers of this town have had difficulty in getting sufficient sugar for their children.

"George J. Dubbleigh took up law. Studied hard all summer. They handed him his LL. D. And spoiled a darn good plumber.

Miss Kate Hippeligh thought that she was clever and bewitchin'. She fizzled as a movie queen. But we miss her in the kitchen." CUB.

### Christmas Clubs versus Life Insurance

Be wise and devote some portion of the money you have received from the Christmas Club to a yearly deposit on a protective policy—Buy an Endowment.

LANAHAN  
205 Forest Ave., Narberth, Pa.  
Phone 344 R

#### A RECORD ATTENDANCE.

At the Sunday School entertainment in the Presbyterian Church last Tuesday evening there were 410 present, which is the largest number of persons ever crowded into that edifice. The singing and recitations by the school and the charming Christmas cantata, "The Home-made Santa," were all most excellently rendered. Much credit for the success of the evening is due to those who so faithfully drilled the children, including Mrs. J. G. Walton, Mrs. L. M. Keim, Mrs. E. S. Haws, Mrs. E. G. Schanroth and Mr. W. Loxley Feebles.

Last Sunday also was a day long to be remembered in the annals of the church. The music rendered by the Church Quartette, assisted by Mrs. Stam and directed by the organist, Mr. L. W. Nickerson, was well deserving of special mention. The congregations were large at every meeting; 311 were present at the morning worship. As a fitting accompaniment to the day's activities the officers of the three church boards, elders, deacons and trustees, met in the afternoon and made plans for the enlargement of the church building to accommodate the ever increasing attendance.

#### ASH COLLECTIONS.

Monday—Wynnewood avenue, Con-way avenue, Dudley ave, west side of Essex avenue, Park, Windsor avenue, from Essex west, Montgomery avenue, Wynnewood to Narberth avenue, Elm Terrace and Sabine avenue.

Tuesday—East side of Essex, Wayne avenue, Price avenue, Montgomery, Narberth to Price avenue, Narberth avenue, Forrest avenue, Grayling avenue, Haverford avenue, Grayling to Essex, Woodbine avenue, Narberth to Iona.

Wednesday—Hampden avenue, Iona avenue, Meeting House Lane, Williams avenue, Woodbine avenue, Iona to Montgomery, Montgomery avenue, Price to Haverford avenue, Haverford avenue, Montgomery to Grayling, Shirley Road.

Thursday—Elmwood avenue, Maple avenue, Woodside avenue, Grove Place.

Friday—Chestnut avenue, Merion avenue, Rockland avenue, Narberth avenue, Chestnut to Rockland.

C. E. HUMPHREYS,  
Street Commissioner.

#### EMBLEM OF THE AMERICAN LEGION.

Service Men, Join the Narberth Post of the American Legion Now Being Formed!

#### Officers.

George O. Smith, Chairman.  
Irvin T. Ward, Vice-Chairman.  
Harry A. Simpson, Secretary.  
H. Newton Compton, Treasurer.

Meetings will be announced through the columns of "Our Town." The men who have served through the war should not lose the opportunity to become members of this organization, as it is an honor for which many would give a whole lot to attain.

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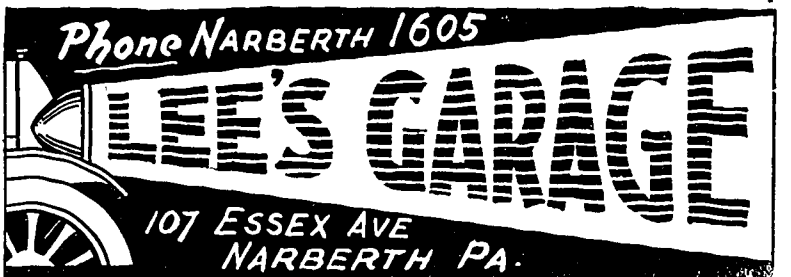
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It is open to everybody. There is no membership fee, or any other cost to join. All that is necessary is to call at our bank, make your first club deposit and secure a depositor's card. Deposits may be made weekly (or in advance.)

**WE HAVE SEVERAL PLANS** that will make it easy for you to save as you earn:

Deposit	25c. weekly and get \$12.50 plus interest				
50c.	"	"	"	25.00	"
\$1.00	"	"	"	50.00	"
2.00	"	"	"	100.00	"
5.00	"	"	"	250.00	"

Or join the 2c or 5c progressive class. The 2c progressive class, for instance, starts with a deposit of 2c the first week, 4c the second week and so on. The reducing classes start with the largest payment and reduce each week. **BE SURE TO JOIN.**

**THE MERION TITLE AND TRUST COMPANY** - Narberth Office: 205 Haverford Avenue

## News of the Churches

### SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.

Merion Meeting House, Merion, Pa.

Merion Meeting is open for worship every First-day morning at 11 o'clock. We cordially welcome any visitors who desire to worship with us.

### ST. MARGARET'S R. C. CHURCH.

Rev. R. F. Cowley, Rector.

Early Mass on Sunday from April 1 to October 31 at 6.30 A. M. From November 1 to March 31, at 7 A. M. Late Mass, 10.00 A. M. throughout the year. Masses on holy days, 6.30 and 8.30 A. M. Weekdays at 8. Evening devotions and other services at regular times.

### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

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Sunday, December 28th:  
9.45 A. M.—Sunday School.  
11 A. M.—Sermon by the pastor, "The Increase of His Government." Special music.

3 P. M.—Children's Church. We had our record attendance last Sunday, 189, and hope to have a large attendance to this special service. Object talk by pastor.

7 P. M.—Epworth League, led by Mr. Quincey Yomell.

7.45 P. M.—Evening service. Sermon by the pastor on "The Best Is Yet to Be." Special music by choir.

On Wednesday evening at 10.30 P. M. the annual Watch Night service will be held. All are welcome.

Monday, December 29th, 7.30 P. M.—Election of Lay Delegates to Lay Electoral Conference.

8 P. M.—Fourth Quarterly Conference in the church.

Tuesday, 8 P. M.—Poverty Social in the church. Tickets, 10 cents. A great happy time for all.

### THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister.

Meetings for next Sunday:

10 A. M.—Sunday School. All grades. 258 present last Sunday.

11 A. M.—Public worship. Sermon theme, "The Past, the Present and the Future." The Church Quartette, assisted by Mrs. Stam, will repeat some of the Christmas music.

6.45 P. M.—Junior Endeavor meeting, Mrs. Trowbridge superintendent.

7 P. M.—Senior Endeavor meeting. Mr. Ralph A. Beatty, of Penn State College, will lead. Miss Irene Boughner, of Hazleton, Pa., will sing.

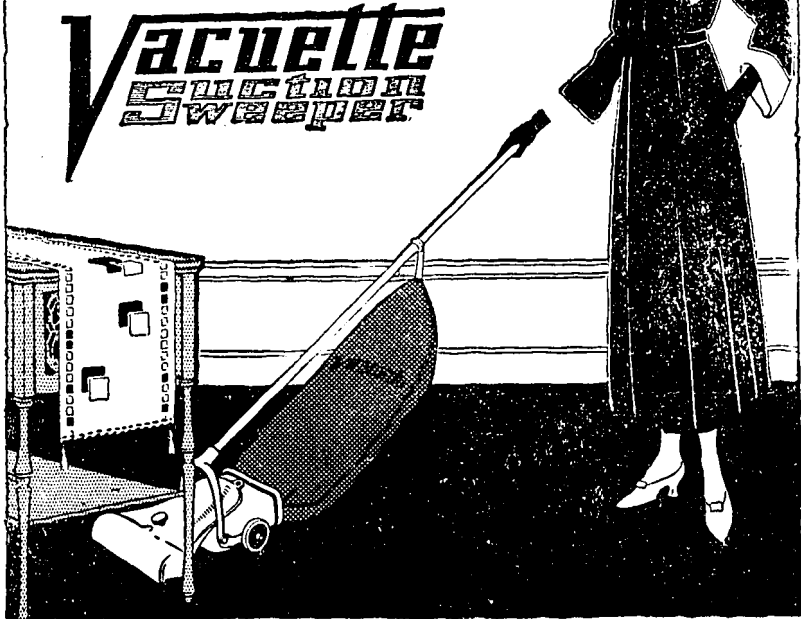
7.45 P. M.—Evening worship. Sermon theme, "And Peter." The Church Quartette will repeat some of the Christmas music.

New Year's Meeting—Next Thursday at 9.30 A. M. there will be a prayer and praise meeting. All cordially welcome. The elders and their wives will meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Van Ness next Friday evening.

Rev. H. W. Hathaway, pastor of the Covenant Presbyterian Church of Germantown, will deliver the sermon at the preparatory meeting on January 7, 1920. Communion on the following Sunday.

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### News of the Churches.

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#### BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL.

Rev. Avery S. Demmy, B. D., Pastor.

Services Sunday, December 28:

9.30—Prayer service.

9.45—Bible School.

11—Morning worship. Special music by the choir and sermon by the pastor on the subject, "Life in All Its Tenses."

7—Young people's meeting under the leadership of Miss Charlotte Hillegas.

7.45—Evening worship. By request the choir will repeat music numbers and the pastor will speak on the subject, "New Year Chimes."

Thursday, January 1st, from 8 to 9 in the morning, New Year's prayer service, and from 8 to 9 in the evening the regular mid-week meeting.

#### WOMEN'S AUXILIARY NARBERTH Y. M. C. A.

The next regular meeting will be held on Monday evening, January 5th, at 8 o'clock promptly. Please remember.

## THE LOTTERY

By a Rising Young  
Narberth Authoress

(Continued from Issue of December 6)

"Yes, Mrs. Bellaires, just a minute." Mary came out of her room and down the stairs.

"My dear," gurgled the widow, "I'm simply thrilled to death. Guess, just guess, what I've done now! I've invited the most fascinating, the most adorable, the most absolutely wonderful blind aviator imaginable to spend the week-end here in this house."

"Talk about romance! Well—And he also has money. Can't you just picture little me hovering tenderly and solicitously about, soothing his manly brow and reading Mrs. Browning to him?" she finished breathlessly.

"Well, I should think you would be out of breath, Helen Bellaires, after that explosion."

"Yes, I can picture 'little me', not only hovering, but getting away with it! Where did you meet this blind Eros, may I ask?"

"Oh, you bad girl, speaking so flippantly of my future husband," pouted the widow.

"I met him this afternoon and made him promise me the week-end. Mary, love, I'm glad you don't like men 'cause it's 'hands off.' He's mine."

"Yes, indeed," drawled the perfect companion, winking at the late Mr. Bellaires, whose knowing eyes gazed serenely down from the wall.

The week-end visitor arrived in due time, and was, in sooth, hovered over and read to by the energetic little widow.

Rather than being offended by these forced seclusions caused by, as Mary called Mrs. Bellaires' admirers, "new worlds to conquer," the girl was only too glad to be left to herself that she might devote more time to the book on which she was working; so not even a glimpse had she caught of the blind guest.

Mary heard the voices of a man and a woman, closely followed by the banging of the outer door.

So they had decided to brave the storm. Well, she was glad she didn't have to go out in the rain. She would go down and read by the fire.

Mary picked up her book and ran downstairs and into the cozy library.

"Umm, how comfy it looks," she said aloud.

"Yes, doesn't it, and, pray, who are you?" came a man's voice from the depths of a chair.

Mary started.

Her first impulse was to turn and run, but the man evidently sensed this, for he said:

"Did I frighten you? I am sorry. Please show your forgiveness by coming over and talking to me."

And, seeing no way to escape, Mary came across the room and glanced at the man in the chair.

It was dark. She could not see. Then suddenly an ember spluttered, flared full and died.

"Oh, God, it can't be—" she breathed tensely.

There was something electric in the air.

The man sensed it instantly.

"What is it?" he commanded, "For God's sake, tell me what it is."

"Nothing—nothing—it's—I—you."

"Tell me."

The next moment found the girl on her knees beside the man. "Arnold," she sobbed, "oh, Arnold, why have you come back! I loved you so much, so much. I thought you had gone out of my life and now you have come back. And you are blind. Oh, my poor, poor boy."

The man drew her tenderly into his arms. "Mary," he whispered, his lips against hers, "I don't know how this all came to pass; but God is good. I've prayed for this moment and it has been granted me."

"But the other woman?" questioned Mary.

"Sweetheart, forgive me. There was no other woman. Your letters grew so cold I invented her just to pique you. Can you forgive me?"

"Can I forgive you?"

A tired head sank on a man's big shoulder and a teary voice sighed: "Arnold, my own husband, at last."

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